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**Request
for
Continued Examination (RCE)
Transmittal**

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Application Number	09/872,116
Filing Date	September 27, 2000
First Named Inventor	Kale, Jyendra K.
Art Unit	3824
Examiner Name	COLBERT, ELLA
Attorney Docket Number	019748-000110US

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1994, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. **Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114** [Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unenforced amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unenforced amendment(s) entered, applicant must request nonentry of such amendment(s).]

a. Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
 i. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 ii. Other _____

b. Enclosed
 i. Amendment/Reply
 ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

c. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 iv. Other _____

2. **Miscellaneous**

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 8 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(d) required)

b. Other _____

3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fee, charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) or credit any overpayments to my deposit Account No. 201430. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) (\$335.00)
 730.00 Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.158 and 1.17)

b. Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosed

c. Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

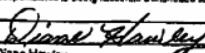
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 019748-000110US
FY 2005 (Please pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (P.L. 48141))		
Application Number 09/672,116	Filed September 27, 2000	
For INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO CONSTRUCTION METHOD AND SYSTEM		
Art Unit 3624	Examiner COLBERT, ELLA	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.		
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	Fee \$120	Small Entity Fee \$60
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$460	\$225
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<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 20-1430 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. <small>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form.</small>		
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